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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action, dated June 25, 2008, the Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the Listing of Claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

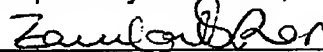
Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.

Any fees or credits should be charged to our deposit acct. no. 120400. Accordingly, the request for a three-month extension of time should be \$1,110.00. Your assistance in this matter is greatly appreciated.

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Respectfully Submitted,



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